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## DETAILED ACTION

### *Response to Amendment*

1. The reply filed on 10/14/05 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s):

Newly submitted claims 1-9, 11-21, and 24-28 are directed to an invention that is independent or distinct from the invention originally claimed for the following reasons: the invention originally claimed and the newly amended invention are related as combination and subcombination. Inventions in this relationship are distinct because the combination as claimed does not require the particulars of the subcombination as claimed for patentability, and the subcombination has utility by itself or in other combinations.

Since applicant has received an action on the merits for the originally presented invention, this invention has been constructively elected by original presentation for prosecution on the merits. Accordingly, newly amended claims 1-9, 11-21, and 24-28 are withdrawn from consideration as being directed to a non-elected invention. See 37 CFR 1.142(b) and MPEP § 821.03. See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

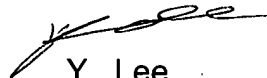
**Conclusion**

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Y. Lee whose telephone number is (571) 272-7334.

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If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Mehrdad Dastouri can be reached on (571) 272-7418. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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